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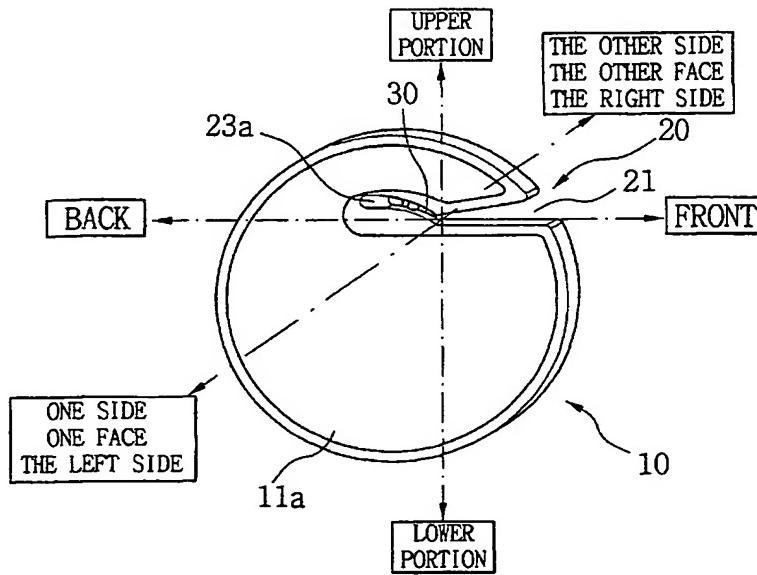
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(57) Abstract: Disclosed is a vinyl pack opener for easily and quickly opening pouches containing traditional oriental medicines and various kinds of fruit juices therein, or securely sealed bags or vinyl packs in which contents such as synthetic detergents for refills are packed. The vinyl pack opener includes: a body (10) having a guide space (20) formed therein, the guide space having an opening part (21) at the front portion thereof; a cutter (30) provided at the rear portion of the opening part (21), for cutting a vinyl pack put in the opening part (21) of the guide space (20); and cutting resistance reducing means provided in the guide space (20), for reducing the cutting resistance of the vinyl pack being cut by the use of the cutter (30).

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